

Chart Your Course in HEALTH CARE

Keep Going With
Bachelor Degree or Higher

Occupation	Median U.S. Wage	Projected Job Growth
Physical therapists	\$57,710	35%
Occupational therapists	\$52,550	35%
Medical and health services managers	\$64,550	29%
Optometrists	\$85,430	17%

Reach Further With
Postsecondary Vocational Award and/or Associate Degree

Occupation	Median U.S. Wage	Projected Job Growth
Physical therapist assistants	\$36,610	45%
Dental hygienists	\$56,360	43%
Surgical technologists	\$32,130	28%
Registered nurses	\$49,550	27%
Radiologic technologists and technicians	\$40,620	23%

Start Off With
On-the-Job Training, Work Experience and/or High School Diploma

Occupation	Median U.S. Wage	Projected Job Growth
Medical assistants	\$24,170	59%
Home health aides	\$18,240	48%
Physical therapist aides	\$20,970	46%
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan	\$22,590	28%
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	\$20,490	25%